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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>16</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$.00
Independent claims	<u>4</u> - 3	=	<u>1</u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u> </u>	\$84.00
Base Fee								\$750.00

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$834.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	\$874.00



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Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$834.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2002-270060	September 17, 2002

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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